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Passing of Phil McCormick

Emergency Operations Coordinator Phil McCormick passed away on the morning of Sept 9. Phil's funeral took place on Sept 21 at 11 am at Acheson & Graham Mortuary.

Phil McCormick served as the Emergency Operations Coordinator for the City of Riverside Fire Department – Office of Emergency Management since January 2007. Phil came to the City of Riverside after several years as an Emergency Services Coordinator with the Riverside County Fire Department – Office of Emergency Services. Prior to working in the emergency management field, Phil proudly served and retired from public service as a police officer for Costa Mesa PD, Paso Robles PD and Grover Beach PD.

Phil was also a very active supporter of the RCC Marching Tigers Band. The family has asked that lieu of flowers, donations be made to the band. Donation information is: Make checks payable to: RCCD Foundation, in Notes section: RCC Marching Tigers Mail to: RCCD Foundation, 4800 Magnolia Avenue, Riverside, CA 92506

Or, you can donate online at: www.rccd.edu Select: RCCD Foundation from right side bar, Select: Make a gift now. After entering your information, select: College Specific Programs, in the Other box enter RCC Marching Tigers.

Phil is survived by his wife Nancy (Neil), his son Chad of Irvine, California and daughter Heather of Maryland. If you would like to send condolences, they can be sent to: Nancy McCormick at 819 Robinhood Lane, Redlands CA 92373





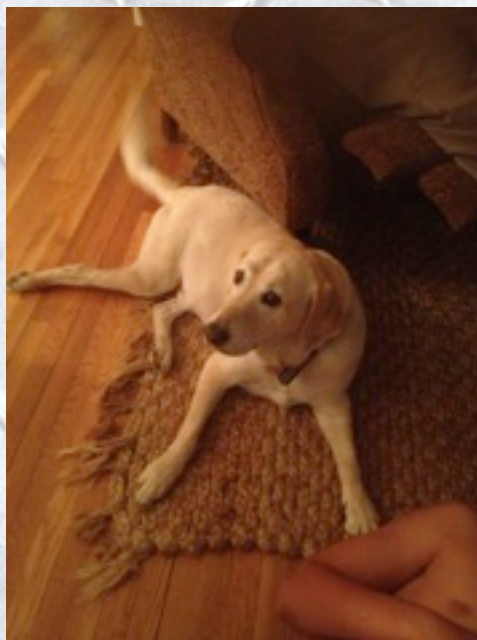
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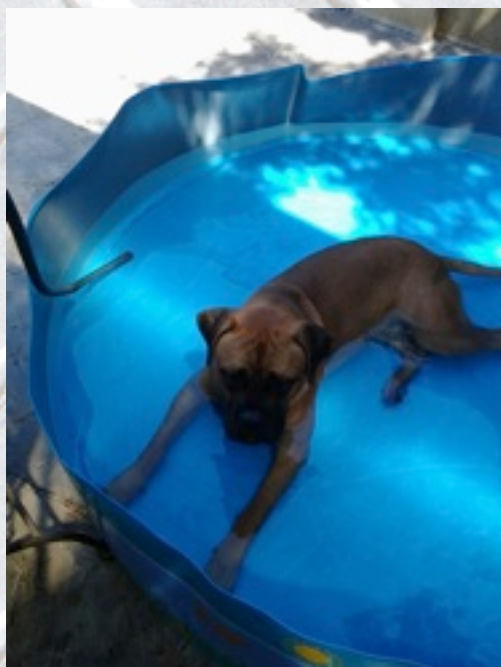
Email from Carley the Lab (through resident Kelley Cross) to Captain Tyler Reynolds on Sept 11 regarding her rescue by Truck 3 crew (Tyler, Herb Mercer, and Wayne Hess):

Thank u for saving me....captain Tyler Reynolds. Herb Mercer and Wayne Hess..I was stuck between blocks wall in 100 degree weatherBest Regards Carley the Lab.



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Critter Corner



Left to Right: Brody, a rescued dog from Station 2's area, enjoys pool time at his new home with retired Eng Steve Zaricki and his wife Barb; Tony Burciago's cat Goose (a rescue from Station 13's area) took a liking to the old RFD patch; Eng Denise Delgado's lab, Gannon, modeled his 2013 Halloween costume





Birthdays



Sept 2013

Congratulations

October Birthdays

Alex Austin	10/28
Dave Bakas	10/29
Bret Bauer	10/9
Shari Call	10/30
Misty Finney	10/24
Josh Fudge	10/18
David Greyshock	10/30
Anna Hauldren	10/4
Bryan Hoffman	10/23
Lisa Holloway	10/21
Tom Irwin	10/9
Kristen Johnson	10/23
Gene Lopez	10/18
Jeff Loveland	10/11
Jennifer McDowell	10/10
James Reynolds	10/7
Gale Schulte	10/15
Aaron Wible	10/4

12 Month Probation:

- Matthew Dalton (9/19): Captain Ray Mendoza thanked Engineer Gary Giovannetti and FF/PM Brian Kilnke in helping Matt in his success...
- Tony Bons (9/30): Captain Gooch thanked his crew and Tony's previous crew through 9 months (Cpt Hopkins, Eng Haney, and FF Young)

Growing Families

Congratulations to FF/PM Jeremy Roberts and his wife Kirsten on the birth of their son, Hudson David Roberts. He was born at 0506 on Sept 16 weighing 8 lbs 3oz and measuring 20" long. All are doing great.

Congratulations to Captain Garrett Coryell and his wife Kristen on the birth of their daughter, Cameron Paige, on Sept 24 at 1116. She weighed 8 lbs and was 20" long.





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November 9th, 2013
4:45 pm till 9 pm



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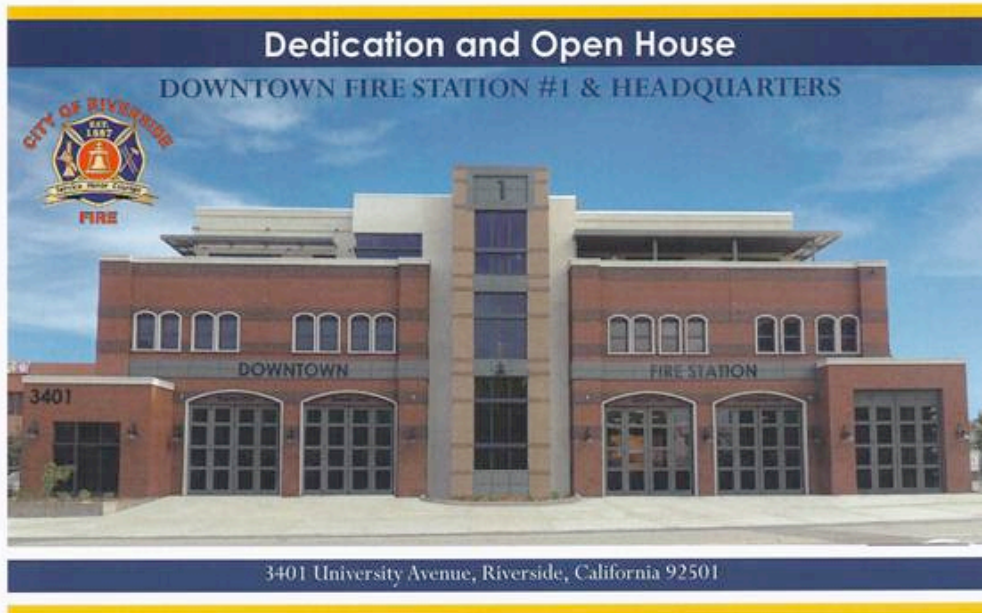
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New Downtown Fire Station Grand Opening

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City of Riverside
Fire Department
3900 Main Street
Riverside, CA 92522

The Mayor, City Council and Fire Department
invite you to the dedication and open house of
Downtown Fire Station #1 and Headquarters.

Saturday, October 26, 2013

10:30 a.m. — 1 p.m.

3401 University Avenue

Dedication, Tours, Food and Activities.



For more information about this event please call
the Riverside Fire Department at (951) 826-5321.

E14C Gives Back

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E14C responded to a traffic accident involving a vehicle hitting a juvenile on a scooter. The boy's ankle was injured, and he was transported by ambulance to the hospital. His scooter was totaled. FFPM Jim Weber took it upon himself to buy a new scooter for the young man. E14C delivered the new scooter to him at home on Sept 23.



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More Twins

Captain Mike Estrada's two year old twin girls, Mia and Marisa



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Sierra Incident

Scott Huchting and Jessie Norton perform overhaul while on the mutual aid assignment on Brush 1



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Happy Birthday, Anthony

Anthony Frausto's family made a surprise visit to Fire Station 2 to celebrate his birthday. (Wife Corrie, Son Blake, and Daughter Carsyn)



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2013 Haz Mat Continuing Challenge



Anthony Frausto and Pat Mullen check out the vendor displays at this year's Continuing Challenge in Sacramento

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Pumpkin Patch

Station 10 shows off its home grown pumpkins



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Blast to the Past: Do you recognize any of these folks? Station 1A in 1994

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Evolution of the RFD Patch

Retired Captain Chuck Vela stopped by Fire Station 2 with his patch collection, so crews shared the new RFD patch design with him



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Retiree News: Life in Montana

Retired BC Jerry Barden submitted this photo of retired BC Mike Wesche and his wife Joyce in their "new place" in Victor, Montana. Mike is happy they are moving into a nicer place and he won't have to "air condition" it. (Mike worked as a heating/air conditioning technician on his days off while in operations and later in retirement).



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